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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 7090 NOTE PREPARED: Feb 3, 2003

BILL NUMBER: SB 311 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Criminal History Information.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Bray

BILL STATUS: As Passed - Senate

FIRST SPONSOR: Rep. L. Lawson

FUNDS AFFECTED: GENERAL IMPACT: Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

<u>Summary of Legislation:</u> The bill provides that a law enforcement agency may release criminal history information and collect a fee for the release of criminal history information only if the law enforcement agency has properly reported felony and Class A misdemeanor arrests to the State Police.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

Explanation of Local Revenues: A law enforcement agency may release or provide for inspection requested criminal history information and collect fees to defray the cost of processing a request for inspection or release. Under the bill, unless the department reports all arrests for reportable offenses to the State Police, the department would not be able to release requested information or collect fees. Revenues for a law enforcement agency that fulfills requests, but does not report to the State Police may be affected.

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected:

Information Sources:

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